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U.S.D. TRUSTEE DONATES ORIGINAL OIL PAINTINGS

San Diego, California

The University of San Diego has recently added to its collection of original works of art twelve oil paintings by Lumen Martin Winter. The oils are a gift from Mr. Marvin Kratter, a member of USD's Board of Trustees.

According to Kratter, the paintings were originally commissioned by Mr. Jacob Ruppert in commemoration of New York City's Tercentenary in 1953. They vividly illustrate passages in Washington Irving's Diedrich Knickerbocker's History of New York.

Five of the paintings are currently displayed in various locations at the University, including the offices of Dr. Author E. Hughes, President, and Dr. Donald J. Weckstein, Dean, School of Law. A showing of the total collection is planned for January in the University's Founder's Gallery.

A resident of Rancho La Costa, Mr. Kratter has formerly headed several business groups including chairmanship of the Board of Directors of the Jacob Ruppert Brewery. This current donation is one of several gifts which Mr. Kratter has made to the University of San Diego and its School of Law.

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